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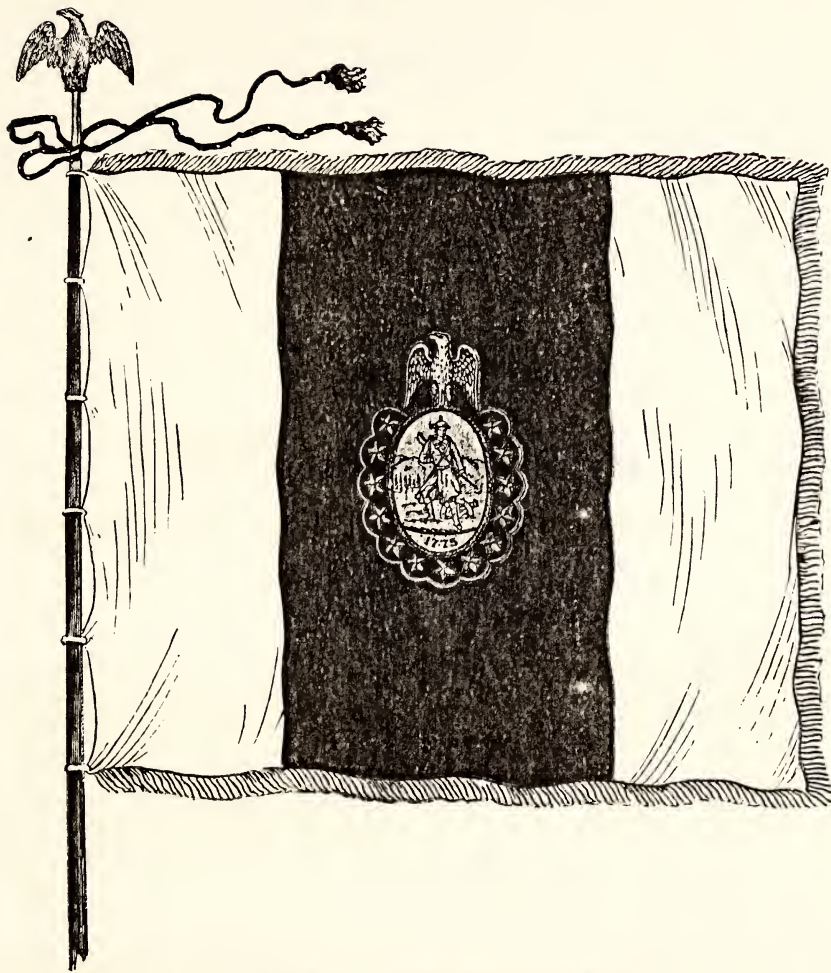






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Constitution of the General Society

Done at the City of Philadelphia, on the 12th day of February, 1890,
and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and
fourteenth.

Adopted in the City of New York, March 8th, 1890.

Section III amended April 23rd, 1892.

Section VIII amended April 21st, 1896.

Section VII amended April 19th, 1905.

I

It being evident, from a steady decline of a proper celebration of the National holidays of the United States of America, that popular concern in the events and men of the War of the Revolution is gradually declining, and that such lack of interest is attributable, not so much to the lapse of time and the rapidly increasing flood of immigration from foreign countries, as to the neglect, on the part of descendants of Revolutionary heroes, to perform their duty in keeping before the public mind the memory of the services of their ancestors and of the times in which they lived; therefore, the Society of the Sons of the Revolution has been instituted to perpetuate the memory of the men who, in the military, naval and civil service of the Colonies and of the Continental Congress by their acts or counsel, achieved the Independence of the country, and to further the proper celebration of the anniversaries of the birthday of Washington, and of prominent events connected with the War of the Revolution; to collect and secure for preservation the rolls, records, and other documents relating to that period; to inspire the members of the Society with the patriotic spirit of their forefathers; and to promote the feeling of friendship among them.

II

The General Society shall be divided into State Societies, which shall meet annually on the day appointed therefor in their respective By-Laws, and oftener if found expedient; and at such annual meeting the reasons for the institution of the Society shall be considered, and the best measures for carrying them into effect adopted.

III

The State Societies, at every annual meeting, shall choose by a majority of the votes present, a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary,

a Registrar, a Treasurer, a Chaplain, and such other officers as may by them respectively be deemed necessary, together with a Board of Managers, consisting of these officers and of nine other members, as may be provided by their respective Constitutions and By-Laws.

IV

Each State Society shall cause to be transmitted annually or oftener, to the other State Societies, a circular letter calling attention to whatever may be thought worthy of observation respecting the welfare of the Society or of the general Union of the States, and giving information of the officers chosen for the year; and copies of these letters shall also be transmitted to the General Secretary, to be preserved among the records of the General Society.

V

The State Societies shall regulate all matters respecting their own affairs, consistent with the general good of the Society; judge of the qualification of their members, or of those proposed for membership, subject, however, to the provisions of this Constitution; and expel any member who, by conduct unbecoming a gentleman or a man of honor, or by an opposition to the interests of the community in general or of the Society in particular, may render himself unworthy to continue in membership.

VI

In order to form funds that may be respectable, each member shall contribute, upon his admission to the Society and annually thereafter, such sums as the By-Laws of the respective State Societies may require: but any of such State Societies may provide for the endowment of memberships by the payment of proper sums in capitalization, which sums shall be properly invested as a permanent fund, the income only of which shall be expended.

VII

The regular meeting of the General Society shall be held every three years, and special meetings may be held upon the order of the General President or upon the request of two of the State Societies, and such meetings shall consist of two Delegates from each State Society and one additional Delegate for every one hundred (100) members or major portion thereof; and on all questions arising at meetings of the General Society each Delegate there present shall be entitled to one vote, and no votes shall be taken by States, and the necessary expenses of such meeting shall be borne by the State Societies.

VIII

At the regular meeting, a General President, General Vice-President, General Second Vice-President, General Secretary, Assistant General Sec-

retary, General Treasurer, Assistant General Treasurer, General Registrar, General Historian and General Chaplain shall be chosen by a majority of the votes present, to serve until the next regular general meeting, or until their successors are duly chosen.

IX

At each general meeting the circular letters which have been transmitted by the several State Societies shall be considered, and all measures taken which shall conduce to the general welfare of the Society.

X

The General Society shall have power at any meeting to admit State Societies thereto, and to entertain and determine all questions affecting the qualifications for membership in or the welfare of any State Society as may, by proper memorial, be presented by such State Society for consideration.

XI

Any male person above the age of twenty-one years, of good character, and a descendant of one who, as a military, naval, or marine officer, soldier, sailor or marine, in actual service, under the authority of any of the thirteen Colonies or States or of the Continental Congress, and remaining always loyal to such authority, or a descendant of one who signed the Declaration of Independence, or of one who, as a member of the Continental Congress or of the Congress of any of the Colonies or States, or as an official appointed by or under the authority of any such legislative bodies, actually assisted in the establishment of American Independence by services rendered during the War of the Revolution, becoming thereby liable to conviction of treason against the Government of Great Britain, but remaining always loyal to the authority of the Colonies or States, shall be eligible to membership in the Society.

XII

The Secretary of each State Society shall transmit to the General Secretary a list of the members thereof, together with the names and official designations of those from whom such members derive claim to membership, and thereafter upon the admission of members in each State Society, the Secretary thereof shall transmit to the General Secretary information respecting such members similar to that herein required.

XIII

The Society shall have an insignia, which shall be a badge suspended from a ribbon by a ring of gold; the badge to be elliptical in form, with scalloped edges, one and one-quarter inches in length, and

Historical Sketch

OF THE

General Society, Sons of the Revolution

The General Society of the Sons of the Revolution may be said to have originated in the stirring patriotic celebrations held in 1873 in commemoration of the centennial of the Boston Tea Party.

There was at this time no active patriotic society in this country. The Society of the Cincinnati, formed in 1783 by the officers of the Continental Army, had ceased to exist in most of the original states, and where it still retained its organization it was no longer an active force.

The time seemed to be propitious for infusing new life into the Society of the Cincinnati, and with this in mind, Mr. John Austin Stevens presented to the President of the Society, the Hon. Hamilton Fish, the desirability of amending the rules of the Society so as to enlarge its membership and infuse new vitality into the organization.

These suggestions met with no favor, and on December 18, 1875, Mr. Stevens called together some of his associates in the rooms of the New York Historical Society to discuss the feasibility of founding a new patriotic society. The idea was favorably received, and the name "Sons of the Revolution" agreed upon. A month later, on January 15, 1876, a second meeting was held at which Mr. Stevens presented a constitution for the society. This was unanimously approved and signed by all present, and Mr. Stevens was authorized to make public announcement of the organization of the new society, and extend an invitation to membership. As there were but few acceptances of this invitation, the project was suspended until circumstances seemed more favorable.

In 1883 the centennial anniversaries of the Evacuation of New York and of Washington's last meeting with his officers, seemed to indicate that the time had arrived for launching the new society. Accordingly at the dinner held in celebration of these events at Fraunces Tavern, New York, on December 4, 1883, the constitution of the Society

of the Sons of the Revolution was presented by Mr. Stevens and his associates. This was enthusiastically received and was immediately signed by all present who were eligible to membership to the number of 40, and the New York Society was then and there organized by the election of John Austin Stevens, President; John Cochrane, Vice-President; Austin Huntington, Secretary; and George H. Potts, Treasurer.

On April 29, 1884, a certificate of incorporation was executed by the following gentlemen:

John Austin Stevens	Thomas H. Edsall
John Cochrane	Joseph W. Drexeli
Austin Huntington	James Mortimer Montgomery
George H. Potts	James Duane Livingston
Frederick H. Tallmadge	Alexander R. Thompson, Jr.
George W. W. Houghton	John Bleecker Miller
Asa Bird Gardner	

and on May 2, 1884, the certificate was signed by Judge George C. Barrett.

In 1887, Mr. John Wolf Jordan and others, of Philadelphia, became desirous of organizing a Society of the Sons of the Revolution for Pennsylvania, but were unwilling that their Society should rank as an auxiliary to the New York Society. Accordingly, on April 3, 1888, an independent society Sons of the Revolution for the State of Pennsylvania was organized at Philadelphia, and on September 29, 1890, this Society was incorporated under the laws of the State.

In March, 1889, a petition was received by the New York Society from a number of gentlemen residing in Washington, D. C., asking that an auxiliary branch of the Society be established for the District of Columbia. This request was favorably acted upon, and on December 18, 1889, the new Society was duly incorporated.

In 1890 the rapidly increasing membership of the three Societies and the general desire for closer relations, resulted in the appointment of Committees from New York and Pennsylvania to consider the feasibility of uniting. These Committees added a representative from the Washington Society, and held a conference at which the fundamental principles for a General Society were evolved, and Judge Clifford Stanley Sims, a Justice of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals, was asked to draw up a constitution. This constitution was modeled closely on the Institution of the Cincinnati.

As a result of this conference, a joint convention of the three Societies was held at Washington, D. C., April 19, 1890, at which the General Society of the Sons of the Revolution was duly organized, and the following officers elected:

Ex-Governor John Lee Carroll, of Maryland, General President;
Major William Wayne, of Pennsylvania, General Vice-President;
James Mortimer Montgomery, of New York, General Secretary;
Timothy Matlack Cheesman, of New York, Assistant General Sec'y.;
Richard McCall Cadwalader, of Pennsylvania, General Treasurer;
Arthur Henry Dutton, of District of Columbia, Assistant Gen. Treas.;
Daniel Cony Weston, D. D., of New York, General Chaplain.

Officers of the General Society Sons of the Revolution

1920

General President

JAMES MORTIMER MONTGOMERY
108 Water St., New York City

General Vice-President

CHARLES CUSTIS HARRISON
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Second General Vice-President

EDMUND HAWES TALBOT
35 Congress St., Boston, Mass.

General Secretary

PROF. WILLIAM LIBBEY
Princeton, N. J.

Assistant General Secretary

W. HALL HARRIS, JR.
255 Title Building, Baltimore, Md.

General Treasurer

GEN. GEORGE RICHARDS, U. S. M. C.
New Navy Building, Washington, D. C.

Assistant General Treasurer

ROBERT PATTERSON BENEDICT
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General Registrar

HON. JOHN BARBER WHITE
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General Historian

ORRA EUGENE MONNETTE
619 Citizens National Bank Building, Los Angeles, Calif.

General Chaplain

REV. GEORGE HEATHCOTE HILLS, D. D.
Avondale, Cincinnati, Ohio

State Secretaries

Alabama

Thomas M. Owen, Jr., Dept. of Archives and History, Montgomery, Ala.

Arkansas

William Mark Duncan, Eureka Springs, Ark.

California

Nelson O. Rhoades, 424 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Calif.

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Florida

Roland Woodward, P. O. Box 478, Jacksonville, Fla.

Georgia

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Col. Frank H. Kincaid, 4 Walling Court, Davenport, Iowa

Kentucky

W. B. Brock, 312 Security Trust Building, Lexington, Ky.

Maryland

John H. Morgan, 10 E. Fayette St., Baltimore, Md.

Massachusetts

Herbert F. Wallace, No. 712, 84 State St., Boston, Mass.

Michigan

Hoyt Garrod Post, Holland, Mich.

Minnesota

Fred S. Bryant, 702 Merchants Bank Building, St. Paul, Minn.

Missouri

George T. Parker, 6059 Clemens Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Montana

Dr. R. R. Johnson, 405 Ford Bros. Building, Great Falls, Mont.

New Hampshire

New Jersey

H. F. Nixon, 317 Market St., Camden, N. J.

New York

H. R. Drowne, Broad and Pearl Sts., New York, N. Y.

North Carolina

Marshall DeLaney Haywood, Raleigh, N. C.

North Dakota

George H. Phelps, Bowbells, N. D.

Ohio

Harrison S. Mulford, 1113 Union Central Building, Cincinnati, Ohio

Pennsylvania

Gouverneur Cadwalader, 224 S. Fifteenth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Rhode Island

Henry C. Wilkinson, 95 Spring St., Newport, R. I.

South Carolina

Maj. James T. Coleman, 17 Atlantic St., Charleston, S. C.

Tennessee

Selden Nelson, 522 W. Church Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

Texas

Alves Dixon, P. O. Box 695, El Paso, Texas

Virginia

Robert A. Lancaster, Jr., P. O. Box 434, Richmond, Va.

Washington

William D. Perkins, 211 Cherry St., Seattle, Wash.

West Virginia

Thomas R. Dille, 204 Chadwick Building, Morgantown, W. Va.

Articles of Incorporation

OF THE

Washington Society of the Sons of the Revolution

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, Josiah Collins, Charles King, Livingston Boyd Stedman, Robert Brooke Albertson, William Brownell Goodwin, George Donworth, Charles Tallmadge Conover, Thomas Rochester Shepard, Charles Edward Shepard, and George B. Blanchard, all citizens of the State of Washington, being desirous of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Washington as provided in Section 1638 of Volume I, of Hill's Code, for the purposes hereinafter stated, do hereby associate ourselves together as a corporation and body politic under said laws, and do make, subscribe, acknowledge and adopt these Articles of Incorporation in triplicate, as follows:

ARTICLE 1—NAME

The name of this Society shall be WASHINGTON SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE REVOLUTION, and the location of the chief place of business of this corporation shall be the City of Seattle, King County, Washington.

ARTICLE 2—MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. The terms of admission to membership in this Society shall be as follows, to-wit: Any male person above the age of twenty-one years shall be eligible to membership in this Society, who is descended from an ancestor as the *propositus*, who, either as a military, naval or marine officer, soldier, sailor or marine, or official in the service of any one of the thirteen original Colonies or States, or of the National Government representing or composed of those Colonies or States, assisted in establishing American Independence during the War of the Revolution, between the 19th of April, 1775, when hostilities commenced, and the 19th of April, 1783, when they were ordered to cease.

Provided, That when the claim of eligibility is based on the service of an ancestor in the "minutemen," or "militia," it must be satisfactorily shown that such ancestor was actually called into the service of the State or United States, and performed garrison or field duty; and that when the claim of eligibility is based on the service of an ancestor as a "sailor," or "marine," it must in like manner be shown that such

service was other than shore duty and regularly performed in the Continental Navy, or the Navy of one of the thirteen original States, or on an armed vessel, other than a merchant ship, which sailed under letters of marque and reprisal, and that such ancestor of the applicant was duly enrolled in the ship's company, either as an officer, seaman, or otherwise than as a passenger.

SEC. 2. *Provided, further,* That when the claim of eligibility is based on the service of an ancestor as an "official," such service must have been performed in the civil service of the United States, or one of the thirteen original States, and must have been sufficiently important in character to have rendered the official specially liable to arrest and imprisonment, the same as a combatant, if captured by the enemy, as well as liable to conviction of treason against the Government of Great Britain.

SEC. 3. In the construction of this Article, the Volunteer Aides-de-Camp of General Officers in Continental service, who were duly announced as such and who actually served in the field during a campaign, shall be comprehended as having performed qualifying service.

The civil officials and military forces of the State of Vermont, during the War of the Revolution, shall also be comprehended in the same manner as if they had belonged to one of the thirteen original States.

No service of an ancestor shall be deemed as qualifying service for membership in this Society where such ancestor, after assisting in the cause of American Independence, shall have subsequently either adhered to the enemy, or failed to maintain an honorable record throughout the War of the Revolution.

SEC. 4. No person shall be admitted as a member of this Society unless he be eligible under one of the provisions of this Article, and unless of good moral character and adjudged worthy of becoming a member. And upon admission to this Society, each member shall pay as a prerequisite to such admission an initiation fee of \$5.00 and annual dues of \$3.00, payable on or before the first day of February in every year; *provided*, that any member who shall have been elected during the last three months of the fiscal year shall not be required to pay the annual dues for the current fiscal year.

SEC. 5. The payment at one time of fifty (50) dollars shall constitute a life membership. The payment at one time of one hundred (100) dollars shall constitute a perpetual or endowed membership, and upon the death of the member so paying, the membership shall be held by his eldest son, or by such other descendant from the ancestor from whom he claims as he may nominate. In failure of such nomination,

the Society may decide which one of the descendants shall hold the membership; *provided, also*, that the Society reserves to itself the privilege of rejecting any nomination that may not be acceptable to it. All those holding life or endowed membership shall be exempt from the payment of initiation fee and annual dues.

ARTICLE 3—OBJECTS

The objects of this Society are social, educational and patriotic, and the Society is formed for the particular purpose of perpetuating the memory of the men, who in military, naval and civil service of the Colonies, and of the Continental Congress, by their acts or counsel, achieved the Independence of these United States, to stimulate a love for historical study, to collect and secure for preservation the manuscripts, records and other documents relating to the Revolutionary period, to further the proper celebration of the anniversaries of Washington's birthday and prominent events connected with the War of the Revolution, to inspire the members of this Society with the patriotic spirit of their forefathers, and to promote the feeling of good-fellowship among its members.

ARTICLE 4—OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The officers of this Society shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, a Registrar, a Treasurer, a Chaplin, and a Board of Trustees, namely: The above named officers *ex officio*, and three others, all of whom shall be chosen by ballot from among the members thereof annually, to serve for the term of one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. The Board of Trustees shall have power to fill vacancies occurring in their own number and shall conduct the general business of the Society.

SEC. 2. The annual meeting of this Society shall be held in the City of Seattle, on the 22nd day of February in each year (except when that day is a Sunday, then the meeting shall be held on the ensuing day), at which time a general election of officers and trustees, by ballot, shall take place.

SEC. 3. The names of the Trustees and the Officers of this Society who shall manage its affairs for the first year of its existence, and until the first regular election shall be held on the 22nd day of February, 1896, are:

President	-	-	-	-	Josiah Collins
Vice-President	-	-	-	-	Charles King
Secretary	-	-	-	-	George Donworth
Registrar	-	-	-	-	Livingston Boyd Stedman
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	Charles Tallmadge Conover
Chaplain	-	-	-	-	Robert Brooke Albertson

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Josiah Collins	William Brownell Goodwin
Charles King	George Donworth
Livingston Boyd Stedman	Charles Tallmadge Conover
Robert Brooke Albertson	George B. Blanchard
Charles Edward Shepard	

all of whom are citizens of the United States and residents of the State of Washington.

SEC. 4. The President shall have power to call meetings of the Board of Trustees, and they may adopt by-laws for the government of this Society.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Josiah Collins, Charles King, Livingston Boyd Stedman, Robert Brooke Albertson, William Brownell Goodwin, George Donworth, Charles Tallmadge Conover, Thomas Rochester Shepard, and Charles Edward Shepard, and we, the said President and Secretary of said Society, have on this 25th day of March, *anno Domini* 1895, set our hands hereunto in triplicate, and being first duly sworn, on oath state, each for himself, that the matters hereinabove alleged are true.

JOSIAH COLLINS, *President.*

GEORGE DONWORTH, *Secretary.*

JOSIAH COLLINS
LIVINGSTON B. STEDMAN
ROBERT BROOKE ALBERTSON
WILLIAM BROWNELL GOODWIN
CHARLES EDWARD SHEPARD
THOMAS ROCHESTER SHEPARD
CHARLES TALLMADGE CONOVER
GEORGE DONWORTH
CHARLES KING

Sworn and subscribed before me this 26th day of March, 1895.

(SEAL) H. H. A. HASTINGS,
Notary Public in and for the State of Washington,
Residing at Seattle.

By-Laws

OF THE

Washington Society of the Sons of the Revolution

SECTION I

ADMISSION OF MEMBERS

Every application for membership shall be made in writing, subscribed by the applicant, and approved by two members over their signatures. Applications shall contain, or be accompanied by, proof of eligibility, and such applications and proofs shall be submitted to the Board of Trustees, who shall have full power to determine the qualifications of the applicant.

Payment of the initiation fee and subscription to the declaration required by the Constitution of this Society shall be prerequisites of membership.

SECTION II

DECLARATION

Every member shall declare upon honor that he will endeavor to promote the purposes of this Institution and observe the Constitution and By-Laws of this Society, and, if he be a citizen of the United States, shall declare that he will support the Constitution of the United States. Such declaration shall be in writing, and subscribed by the member making it.

SECTION III

SUBJECTS PROHIBITED

No question involving religious doctrine or the party politics of the day within the United States shall ever be discussed or considered in any meeting of this Society.

SECTION IV

COMMEMORATIONS

It shall be a standing regulation that the members shall, when practicable, hold a commemorative celebration and dine together at least once in every year.

SECTION V

SEAL AND INSIGNIA

The Seal of the Society, the Insignia to be worn by members, and the rules governing the use of the latter, shall be such as are, or may be hereafter, prescribed by the General Society of the Sons of the Revolution.

The Secretary shall be the custodian of the Seal.

The Treasurer of the Society shall procure and issue the Insignia to the members, and shall keep a record of all issued by him. Such Insignia shall be returned to the Treasurer by any member who may formally withdraw, resign or be expelled, but otherwise shall be deemed an heirloom.

No member shall receive more than one badge, unless to replace one, the loss or destruction of which shall first be satisfactorily established. The badge shall never be worn as an article of jewelry.

On occasions other than meetings for any stated purpose or celebration, members may wear a rosette of the prescribed ribbon and pattern in the upper button-hole of the left lapel of the coat. The Treasurer shall procure and issue the rosettes to members.

SECTION VI

PERMANENT FUND

All life and endowed membership fees, as well as donations which shall be paid the Society, shall remain forever to the use of the Society as a Permanent Fund, the income only of which may be expended.

SECTION VII

ELECTIONS

In all elections a majority of the ballots given for any officer or manager shall constitute a choice; but if, on the first ballot, no person shall receive such majority, then a further balloting shall take place, in which a plurality of votes given for any officer or manager shall determine the choice.

SECTION VIII

QUORUM

At all meetings of the Society, five (5) members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

SECTION IX

PRESIDENT

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, or in the absence of both, a chairman *pro tempore*, shall preside at all meetings of the Society, and shall have a casting vote. He shall preserve order, and decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Society.

SECTION X

SECRETARY

The Secretary shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society. He shall notify all members of their election, and of such other matters as may be required by the Society. He shall have charge of the Seal, Certificate of Incorporation, Constitution, By-Laws and Records of the Society, and shall issue certificates of membership. He, together with the presiding officer, shall certify all acts of the Society, and in proper cases, authenticate them under seal. He shall affix the Seal to all properly authenticated certificates of membership and transmit them without delay to the members for whom they shall be issued. He shall, under the direction of the President or Vice-President, give due notice of the time and place of all meetings of the Society, and attend the same. He shall keep fair and accurate records of all the proceedings and orders of the Society, and shall give notice to the several officers of all votes, orders, resolves and proceedings of the Society affecting them or appertaining to their respective duties. He shall be Secretary of the Board of Trustees and keep the record of their meetings in the regular minute book of the Society.

SECTION XI

TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect and keep the funds and securities of the Society; and so often as those funds shall amount to twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, they shall be deposited in some bank or banking house to be designated by the Board of Trustees, to the credit of the "Washington Society of Sons of the Revolution," and shall be drawn thence on the check of the Treasurer for the purposes of the Society only. Out of these funds he shall pay such sums as may be ordered by the Society, or by the Board of Trustees. He shall keep a true account of his receipts and payments, and at each annual meeting render a statement of the same to the Society, when a committee shall be appointed to audit his accounts. He shall give such security as may from time to time be required by the Board of Trustees.

SECTION XII

REGISTRAR

The Registrar shall keep a roll of members, and in his hands shall be lodged all the proofs of membership qualification, and all the historical and other papers of which the Society may become possessed; and he, under the direction of the Board of Trustees, shall make copies of such similar documents as the owners thereof may not be willing to leave permanently in the keeping of the Society. He shall safely keep all such records in some fireproof vault.

SECTION XIII

CHAPLAIN

The Chaplain shall be a regularly ordained minister of a Christian denomination, and shall perform such duties as ordinarily appertain to such office.

SECTION XIV

HISTORIAN

The Board of Trustees shall have power annually to appoint an Historian, who shall keep a detailed record, to be deposited with the Registrar, of all the Historical and Commemorative celebrations of the Society; and he shall edit and prepare for publication such addresses, essays, papers and other documents of an historical character (other than a Register of Members), as the Secretary may be required to publish; and at every annual meeting, if there be a necrological list for the year then closing, he shall submit the same with carefully prepared biographies of the deceased members.

SECTION XV

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees shall judge of the qualifications of every candidate who shall make proper application for admission to the Society, and shall have power to admit him to membership if found eligible under the Constitution. Two or more negative votes shall constitute a rejection of the applicant.

The Board shall meet as often as they may desire upon call of the President, or upon written request of any three members of the same. The Board may call for a letter ballot of all the members of the Society whenever they deem it advisable to vote upon any question which may be submitted to the members, other than the election of officers, and in such case the votes of members so received by letter shall have the same force and effect as if such members were personally present and voting at a meeting of the Society.

They may, through the Secretary, call special meetings of the Society at such times as they may see fit, and shall call such meetings at any time upon the written request of five members of the Society. They may also arrange for commemorative celebrations by the Society.

They shall recommend plans for promoting the purposes of the Society, and authorize the disbursement and expenditure of unappropriated money in the treasury for the payment of the current expenses of the Society. At each annual meeting of the Society, they shall make a report in writing.

SECTION XVI

ORDER OF BUSINESS

At all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Trustees, the following order of business shall be observed, so far as the same may be applicable.

1. Reading of minutes of prior meetings not previously acted upon.
2. Election of officers and Trustees when necessary.
3. Reports of officers.
4. Reports of committees.
5. Unfinished business.
6. Miscellaneous business.

SECTION XVII

COMMITTEE ON ADMISSIONS

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees shall appoint annually three members thereof as a Committee on Admissions, whose duty it shall be to pass upon the qualifications of applicants for admission to the Society, and report to the Board of Trustees.

SECTION XVIII

EXPULSION AND SUSPENSION

The Board of Trustees shall have power to expel any enrolled member of this Society, who, by conduct unbecoming a gentleman and a man of honor, or by any opposition to the interests of the Community in general or of this Society in particular, may render himself unworthy to continue a member, or who shall persistently transgress, or, without good excuse, wilfully neglect or fail in the performance of any obligation enjoined by the Constitution, By-Laws or any standing rule of this Society: *Provided*, that such member shall have received at least ten days' notice in writing of the complaint preferred against him, and of the time and place for hearing the same, and have been thereby afforded an opportunity to be heard in person.

Whenever the cause of expulsion shall not have involved turpitude or moral unworthiness, any member thus expelled may, upon the unanimous recommendation of the Board of Trustees, but not otherwise, be restored to membership by the Society at any meeting.

The Board of Trustees shall drop from the roll the name of any enrolled member of the Society who shall be one year in arrears in the payment of dues, and who, on notice to pay the same, shall fail and neglect to do so within thirty days thereafter, and upon being thus dropped, his membership shall cease and determine; but he may be restored to membership at any time by the Board of Trustees, on his application therefor, and upon his payment of all such arrears and of the annual dues from the date when he was dropped to the date of his restoration. The Board of Trustees may also suspend any officer from the performance of his duties, for cause; which proceeding must be reported to the Society and acted upon by it within thirty days, either by rescission of the suspension or removal of the suspended officer from office, or otherwise the suspension shall cease.

SECTION XIX RESIGNATION

No resignation or voluntary withdrawal from membership by any member enrolled in this Society shall become effective as a release from the obligations thereof, unless consented to and accepted by the Board of Trustees.

SECTION XX DISQUALIFICATION

No person who may be enrolled as a member of this Society shall be permitted to continue in membership when the proofs of claim of qualification by descent shall be found to be defective and insufficient to substantiate such claim, or not properly authenticated. The Society, or the Board of Trustees, may, at any time after thirty days' notice to such person to properly substantiate or authenticate his claim, require the Secretary to erase his name from the list of members, and such person shall thereupon cease to be a member: *Provided*, he shall have failed or neglected to comply satisfactorily with such notice.

Where the Board of Trustees shall direct the erasure of a person's name for a cause comprehended under this section, such person shall have a right of appeal to the next annual meeting of the Society; but he shall not be restored to membership unless by a vote of three-fourths of the members present on that occasion, or at a subsequent meeting to which the consideration of the appeal may have been specifically postponed.

SECTION XXI
SERVICE OF NOTICES

It shall be the duty of every member to inform the Secretary, by written communication, of his place of residence, his post office address, and of any change thereof.

Service of any notice under the Constitution or By-Laws upon any member of the Society, addressed to him at his last recorded place of residence or post office address, and forwarded by mail, shall be deemed sufficient service of such notice.

SECTION XXII
ALTERATIONS OR AMENDMENTS

No alteration or amendment of the By-Laws of the Society shall be made unless notice thereof shall be duly given in writing, signed by the member proposing the same at a meeting of the Society, and unless the same shall be adopted at a subsequent meeting, held at least thirty days after such notice, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

SECTION XXIII
DELEGATES TO THE GENERAL SOCIETY

Delegates to the General Society shall be chosen by the members of this Society, at its meeting next preceding that of the General Society; and, failing such choice, shall be selected by the Board of Trustees.

Historical Sketch

OF THE

Washington Society of the Sons of the Revolution

The history of the Washington Society began at a meeting on March 26, 1895, at the office of Josiah Collins in the Haller Building, in Seattle, Washington, held for the purpose of forming a Washington Society of the Sons of the Revolution.

The following persons were present at the meeting: Josiah Collins, Livingston B. Stedman, Robert Brooke Albertson, William Brownell Goodwin, Charles Edward Shepard, Thomas Rochester Shepard, Charles Tallmadge Conover, and George Donworth, all of Seattle, and Charles King, of Tacoma.

At this meeting Articles of Incorporation of the Society were adopted.

The first officers of the Society were as follows:

President	-	-	Josiah Collins
Vice-President	-	-	Charles King
Secretary	-	-	George Donworth
Registrar	-	-	Livingston Boyd Stedman
Treasurer	-	-	Charles Tallmadge Conover
Chaplain	-	-	Robert Brooke Albertson

The Society has been active through the years in stimulating patriotism, and has from time to time offered medals, as prizes for essays on patriotic subjects, to be competed for by pupils of the public schools and by students of the higher educational institutions of the State of Washington.

It has taken part in patriotic movements and has subscribed to funds for patriotic objects.

During the Great War, the members of the Society were active at home and abroad.

Twenty-one of the present membership of the Society served in the War in various branches of the service.

Since its organization, the Society has lost six members by death.

The present membership is sixty-six.

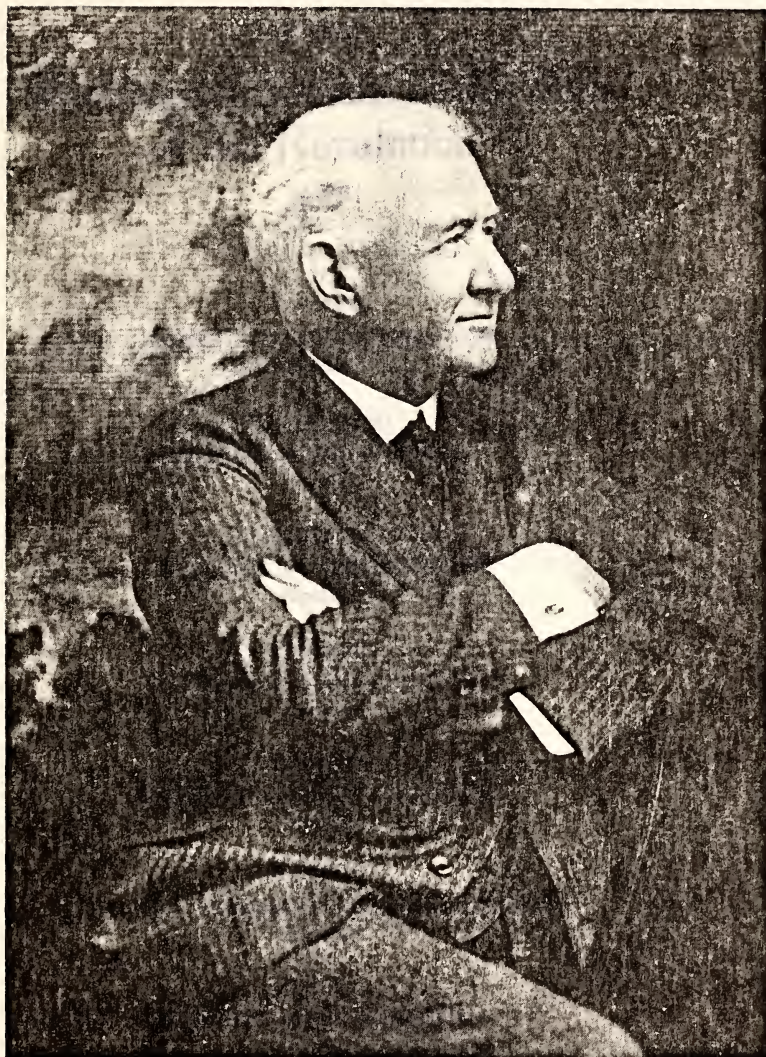


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MANSON FRANKLIN BACKUS
PRESIDENT 1916-1920

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*Delegates Appointed to Attend the Meetings of the General Society
Philadelphia, April, 1918-1920*

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March 29, 1895, to February 22, 1921

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Josiah Collins, 1895-97, 1899-1907
Rt. Rev. William Morris Barker, 1898
George Donworth, 1908
Robert Brooke Albertson, 1909-11
William Allison Peters, 1912
Joshua Green, 1913-14
Charles Tallmadge Conover, 1915
Manson Franklin Backus, 1916-20

Vice-Presidents

Charles King, 1895
George Barstow Blanchard, 1896
John Leicester Schon, 1897
Charles Edward Shepard, 1898-9
George Donworth, 1900-07, 1915
William Allison Peters, 1908, 1910-11
Joshua Green, 1909
Livingston Boyd Stedman, 1912
Charles Tallmadge Conover, 1913-14
George Hunt Walker, 1916-20

Secretaries

George Donworth, 1895
William Brownell Goodwin, 1896
Charles Tallmadge Conover, 1897
George Kirby Coryell, 1898-9, 1905-07

Secretaries (Continued)

Ralph Will Emmons, 1900-03
Eben Freme Wells, 1904
Edwin Heister Gule, 1908-10
Walter Oakes, 1911
William David Perkins, 1912-20

Treasurers

Charles Tallmadge Conover, 1895-6
Robert Carroll Callahan, 1897-1901
Douglas Carroll Conover, 1902-20

Registrars

Livingston Boyd Stedman, 1895-6
George Hyde Preston, 1897
George Donworth, 1898-9
Isaac Pusey Taylor, 1900-01
William Nye Redfield, 1902-04
Livingston Boyd Stedman, 1905-07
Charles Tallmadge Conover, 1908-12
Claudius Clinton Ramsay, 1913-18
Edward Andrew Batwell, 1919-20

Chaplains

Robert Brooke Albertson, 1895
Charles Edward Shepard, 1896
Rt. Rev. William Morris Barker, 1897-1900
Rt. Rev. Frederic William Keator, 1902-20

Historians

Robert Brooke Albertson, 1896-1908, 1915-17
Charles Edward Shepard, 1909
Livingston Boyd Stedman, 1910-11
George Donworth, 1912
George Hunt Walker, 1913-14
George Hyde Preston, 1918-20

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Robert Brooke Albertson, 1895, 1909-11
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Josiah Collins, 1895-7, 1899-1908
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Henry Dickinson, 1913-14
George Donworth, 1895-6, 1898-1908, 1915
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Sherwood Gillespy, 1900-08
William Brownell Goodwin, 1895-6
Joshua Green, 1909, 1911, 1913-14
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Isaac Pusey Taylor, 1900-01
George Hunt Walker, 1910, 1916-20
Eben Freme Wells, 1904
James Anderson Wood, 1918-20

Roster of Members

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1917. BACKUS, LE ROY MANSON, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of John Backus. John Backus enlisted in the winter of 1776-1777 in Captain William Douglas' Company, from Hancock, Mass., Colonel Benjamin Simonds' Regiment, and again with the same Company in the fall of 1777. Served as Artillerist in Captain Douglas' expedition to Ticonderoga. Enlisted twice during 1778 and 1779 in Captain Silas Childs' Company, Granville, N. Y. Pensioned in 1841.

1911. BACKUS, MANSON FRANKLIN, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of John Backus. John Backus enlisted in the winter of 1776-1777, in Captain William Douglas' Company, from Hancock, Mass., Colonel Benjamin Simonds' Regiment, and again with the same Company in the fall of 1777. Served as Artillerist in Captain Douglas' expedition to Ticonderoga. Enlisted twice during 1778 and 1779, Sergeant in Captain Silas Childs' Company, Granville, N. Y. Pensioned in 1841.

Also:

Great-grandson of Ebenezer Stebbins. Ebenezer Stebbins enlisted from Vermont in Captain Telian Noble's Company, April 15, 1780; discharged June 13, 1780.

1896. BAIRD, EDMUND CLARENCE, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Samuel Tallmadge, Private in Captain Daniel Roe's Company, Colonel Henry B. Livingston's New York Regiment, May, 1776. Ensign Fourth Continental Regiment, New York line, November 9, 1777. Lieutenant same, October 27, 1781. Served until close of War. Was in Sullivan's Expedition to the West, and Battles of Saratoga and Yorktown.

1916. BATWELL, EDWARD ANDREW, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Luther Trobridge. Luther Trobridge enlisted as Corporal, April 23, 1775, at Framingham, Massachusetts, in Captain Jonathan Whitcomb's Company, Colonel James Reed's Regiment. Corporal in Captain Samuel Ward, Jr.'s Company, which accompanied Colonel Benedict Arnold's

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expedition against Quebec, in the fall of 1775. Commissioned Second Lieutenant of the Ninth Company, commanded by Lieutenant Jonas Parker, Colonel Ichabod Alden's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia, January 1, 1777. Was present at the defeat and surrender of General Burgoyne. Commissioned First Lieutenant, under General Sullivan, September 29, 1779. During the last four months of 1780 was Adjutant on Colonel Brooks' staff. In command at West Point during 1781. Commissioned Quartermaster of the First Massachusetts Brigade, November 12, 1782. Commissioned Captain by brevet, in the U. S. Army, October 10, 1783.

1910. BLAKE, HENRY FORDYCE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of Peter Norton, who was a Private in the Coast Defense at Martha's Vineyard, from August to November, 1776.

1916. BLISS, RALPH, EDMONDS, WASH.

Transferred from the Illinois State Society. Great-grandson of Lieutenant Ellis Bliss, of Hebron, Conn., and Bradford, Vt., born at Hebron, April 5, 1759, died at Bradford, August 22, 1829. He was a Sergeant in the War of the Revolution in 1779, in the Regiment of L. Wells, Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, and afterwards a Lieutenant; stationed at New London, Conn., and at White Plains, N. Y.

1917. BRINGHURST, HARRY WASHINGTON, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of George Bringhurst. George Bringhurst was Second Lieutenant of the "Flying Camp of Philadelphia County" under Colonel Lewis.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Matthew Clarkson, Third, who was Quartermaster of the first troops organized in Philadelphia. In 1780 he was one of the organizers of the Bank of Pennsylvania, with the object of furnishing provisions for the Continental Army.

1921. BROWN, EDWIN JAMES, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of William Taylor. William Taylor served as a Private in Captain Bateman Loyd's Company, Second Regiment, New Jersey Continental Line, during the Revolutionary War. He also served from 1778, when the Second Regiment was organized, until 1783, when it was disbanded.

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1920. BROWNELL, EUGENE WILLARD, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Nathan Burr. Nathan Burr fought at Valley Forge and at Princeton, N. J. He served in Colonel Samuel Elmore's Regiment, 1776. Enlisted at Fort Schuyler, also known as Fort Stanwix, under Captain Jeremiah Parmalee, April 16, 1776. Re-engaged with Captain Satterlee, January 1st.

1914* BURWELL, EDMUND BRADFORD, ABERDEEN, WASH.

1897. CALLAHAN, ROBERT CARROLL, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Robert Callahan, Private in Captain Nathaniel Warner's Company, Colonel Moses Little's Regiment, August 1, 1775, and served from May 3, 1775. Was a Corporal in Captain John Lane's Company, Colonel Foster's Regiment, stationed at Cape Ann, and served from January 8, 1776, to February 15, 1776, in the Massachusetts Militia.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Salmon White, Captain in Twelfth Company, from Whately, Massachusetts, Second Hampshire Company Regiment. Commissioned April 5, 1776. Served from May 10 to July 10, 1777. Served by order of General Gates in command of his Company, Colonel Woodbridge's Regiment, August, 1777, served four days. Colonel Ezra May's Regiment, enlisted September 20, 1777, served 30 days. Appears among list of officers of the Massachusetts Militia as Captain of Second Hampshire County Regiment, commanded by Colonel Israel Chapin, commissioned July 6, 1778.

1895. COLLINS, JOSIAH, SEATTLE.

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Great-great-grandson of Nicholas Long, Member North Carolina Provincial Convention, April, 1775. Member North Carolina Provincial Assembly, April, 1775. Member North Carolina Provincial Congress, August, 1775. Colonel, Halifax District, N. C., Regiment of Minutemen, September, 1775. Quartermaster for North Carolina, April, 1776. Deputy Quartermaster-General for Southern Department, with rank of Colonel of Continental Line, May, 1776.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of John Daves, of Newbern, N. C. (1748-1804). Quartermaster Second Continental Regiment, North

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Carolina Line, June, 1776. Ensign of same, September, 1776. Lieutenant, same, October, 1777. Captain, Third Continental Regiment, North Carolina Line, September, 1781. Mustered out of service, January, 1783. Served at Charleston, Brandywine, Germantown, Valley Forge, Monmouth, Stony Point, Eutaw Springs, etc. Member of North Carolina Society of the Cincinnati.

Also:

Great-grandson of Cadwallader Jones (1755-1795). Captain Third Regiment Light Dragoons, Continental Line, February 6, 1777. Aide-de-Camp to General Lafayette at Brandywine, Yorktown and elsewhere.

Also:

Great-great-great-great-grandson of William Eaton (1705-1780). Member of Committee of Safety for Halifax District, N. C., of September 9, 1775. Lieutenant-Colonel of Militia Regiment of Northampton County, N. C., September 9, 1775. Colonel of same, 1776.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Allen Jones, Member North Carolina Provincial Convention, April, 1775. Member North Carolina Provincial Assembly, April, 1775. Member North Carolina Provincial Congress, August, 1775-April, 1776. Colonel, Northampton County, N. C., Militia Regiment, September 9, 1775. Member Committee of Safety for Halifax District, N. C., September 9, 1775. Brigadier-General, Halifax District, N. C., Militia, May 5, 1776. Member Continental Congress, 1779.

Also:

Great-great-great-grandson of William Burnet (1730-1791). Deputy Chairman Newark, N. J., Committee of Safety, 1775. Chairman Essex County, N. J., Committee, 1776. Surgeon, Second Regiment of Foot, Essex County, N. J., Militia, February 17, 1776. Commissioner of Military Supplies for East New Jersey, July 16, 1776. Physician and Surgeon-General, Eastern Department, April 11, 1777. Hospital Physician and Surgeon, October 6, 1780. Member Continental Congress from New Jersey, 1780-1. Chief Physician and Hospital Surgeon, March 5, 1781, to close of War. Member New Jersey Society of the Cincinnati.

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Also:

Great-great-grandson of William Burnet, Jr., Surgeon, General Hospital, Continental Army. Member of Georgia Society of the Cincinnati, afterwards transferred to the New Jersey Society of the Cincinnati.

1914. COLVER, HENRY ANDREWS, SEATTLE.

Transferred from the New York State Society.

Great-great-grandson of Nathaniel Colver. Nathaniel Colver was a Private in Captain Joel Dickinson's Company, Colonel Samuel Elmore's Connecticut Continental Regiment, April 16, 1776; served at Fort Dayton, New York.

1895. CONOVER, CHARLES TALLMADGE, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Samuel Tallmadge, Private in Captain Daniel Roe's Company, Colonel Henry B. Livingston's New York Regiment, May, 1776. Ensign, Fourth Continental Regiment New York Line, November 9, 1777. Lieutenant same, October 27, 1781. Served until close of War. Was in Sullivan's Expedition to the West, and Battles of Saratoga and Yorktown.

Also:

Great-grandson of Abraham Covenhoven, who enlisted as a boy of sixteen, in May, 1775, in Captain Gardiner's New York Company. Private in Captain Nixon's New Jersey Cavalry, September, 1776. Sergeant in Captain Louk's New York Company, June, 1777. Engaged in Battles of Trenton and Princeton, and served in the Mohawk Country.

1901. CONOVER, DOUGLAS CARROLL, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Lieutenant Simeon Van Wickle. Lieutenant Simeon Van Wickle served as Lieutenant in the Second Regiment, Middlesex County, New Jersey Militia; he was promoted Captain of the same; he also served as a Lieutenant in a Company of State Troops, and was also promoted Captain of the same.

1921. CONOVER, TALLMADGE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Samuel Tallmadge, Private in Captain Daniel Roe's Company, Colonel Henry B. Livingston's New York Regiment, May, 1776. Ensign, Fourth Continental Regiment, New York Line, November 9, 1777. Lieutenant same, October 27, 1781. Served until close of War. Was in Sullivan's Expedition to the West, and Battles of Saratoga and Yorktown.

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1897. CORYELL, GEORGE KIRBY, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Emanuel Coryell, who served as Forage Master in the Commissary-General's Department, New Jersey Militia, during the Revolutionary War.

1919. CORYELL, GEORGE KIRBY, JR., SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Emanuel Coryell, who served as Forage Master in the Commissary-General's Department, New Jersey Militia, during the Revolutionary War.

1916. COTTON, CHARLES STANHOPE, JR., SEATTLE.

Transferred from Connecticut State Society.

Great-grandson of Rowland Cotton, who was born 1757, died 1848. Rowland Cotton was a Private in Captain Stephen Brown's Company, Fourth Regiment of Continental Line, Colonel John Durkee, commanding, April 20, 1777; appointed Corporal, September 1, 1777, discharged as Sergeant, April 20, 1780. Sergeant, January 17, 1781, to December 31, 1781, in Captain Lemuel Cliff's Company, First Regiment, Continental Line. Sergeant in Light Company, First Connecticut Continental Regiment, Roll of Susquehanna men, Colonel Zebulon Butler, commanding, March, 1782, to April, 1783. Rowland Cotton was Regimental Sergeant-Major in Hamilton's Division, at Siege and Surrender of Yorktown.

1901. DAWSON, LEWIS REEVES, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Samuel Quimby. Samuel Quimby was a Private in Captain David Hound's Company, Colonel Swiscer's Regiment, New York, July, 1776, served two months. In Captain Benjamin McCullough's Company, New Jersey, October, 1776, served one month. In Captain Jacob Winter's Company, April, 1777, served six months. In Captain Dart's Company, New Jersey, April, 1778, served a few months. In Captain Thomas Bay's Company, New Jersey, April, 1779, to 1780. In Captain George Bruce's Company and General Clark's Brigade, July, 1781, and served 16 months.

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1910. DICKINSON, HENRY, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of James White. James White served during the War of the Revolution in Virginia and Tennessee. Was present at the battle of King's Mountain.

1920. DONWORTH, CHARLES TENNEY, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Samuel Baker, Private in Captain Abraham Wheeler's Company, Colonel Lemuel Robinson's Regiment, at Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775. Enlisted "for the War" as Corporal, Third Massachusetts Regiment of Artillery, Continental Line, March 17, 1777. Bombardier of same, January, 1780.

1895. DONWORTH, GEORGE, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Samuel Baker, Private in Captain Abraham Wheeler's Company, Colonel Lemuel Robinson's Regiment, at Lexington Alarm, April 19, 1775. Enlisted "for the War" as Corporal, Third Massachusetts Regiment of Artillery, Continental Line, March 17, 1777. Bombardier of same, January, 1780.

1921. EMMONS, HARRIS, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Solomon Emmons of Cornwall, Connecticut; mustered in as a Private June 24, 1776, in a Company from Cornwall, Connecticut, commanded by Captain Rogers, in a Regiment commanded by Colonel Fisher Gay, and known as the Second Battalion of Wadsworth's Brigade. The Battalion took part in the Battles of Long Island and White Plains, and was mustered out December 25, 1776.

1897. EMMONS, RALPH WILL, SEATTLE.

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1914* FOLSOM, GEORGE F., SEATTLE.

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1897. GREEN, JOSHUA, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of James Barnett, of Virginia. Ensign, Sixth Virginia, March 4, 1776. Second Lieutenant, Sixth Virginia, January 1, 1777. Retired September 14, 1778.

1901. GUIE, EDWIN HEISTER, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Captain John Heister. Captain John Heister entered service of U. S., June 28, 1777, as a Captain of Company of first class, Chester County Militia, in a Regiment of Foot, in service of U. S., commanded by Colonel John Hannum, at Chester, Penn., July 11, 1777, mustered then as Captain John Heister's Company.

1920. HALL, FRANK STEVENS, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Diggory Prout. Diggory Prout enlisted in April, 1776, as a Drummer under Captain James Greig in the Third New York Continental Regiment, commanded by Colonel Peter Gambevoort. Afterwards transferred to Captain DeWitt's Company, thence to Captain Van Sitze's Company in the same Regiment. In 1780, Captain Van Sitze's Company was transferred to the First New York Regiment, commanded by Colonel G. Van Schaick. Diggory Prout was at the siege of Fort Stanwix, in General Sullivan's Campaign against the Indians in 1776, and at the siege of Yorktown. He served in the army as a Drummer until discharged, June 8, 1783.

1920. HARLAN, OTIS BACKUS, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of John Backus. John Backus enlisted in the winter of 1776-1777 in Captain William Douglas' Company, from Hancock, Mass., Colonel Benjamin Simonds' Regiment, and again with the same Company in the fall of 1777. Served as Artillerist in Captain Douglas' expedition to Ticonderoga. Enlisted twice during 1778 and 1779 in Captain Silas Childs' Company, Granville, N. Y. Pensioned in 1841.

1921. HAYNES, CORNELIUS HANFORD, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of Josiah Atkins. Josiah Atkins served as Private in General Wooster's Connecticut Regiment, 1775. Enlisted, April, 1776, in Captain Smith's Company, Colonel Elmore's Regiment, Connecticut Line. Enlisted, April 25, 1777, as Sergeant in the Sixth Regiment, Connecticut Line. Was pensioned under the act of 1818.

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1909. HAYNES, MANLY BOSTWICK, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Josiah Atkins. Josiah Atkins served as Private in General Wooster's Connecticut Regiment, 1775. Enlisted, April, 1776, in Captain Smith's Company, Colonel Elmore's Regiment, Connecticut Line. Enlisted, April 25, 1777, as Sergeant in the Sixth Regiment, Connecticut Line. Was pensioned under the act of 1818.

1919. HOLCOMBE, GILBERT TOMPKINS, SEATTLE.

Grandson of Gilbert Tompkins. Gilbert Tompkins enlisted October, 1776, as Sergeant of Marines under Captain Smith, and in November, 1776, under Captain Paul Jones. Later served with the Rhode Island troops, and was finally pensioned.

1917. HOYT, JOHN WILLIAM, ASHLAND, OREGON.

Great-great-grandson of John Hoyt, Jr. John Hoyt was a member of the Committee of Safety, Stamford, Connecticut, 1775, and of the Legislative Assembly in 1777. Was a Private in Captain Lyman's Company of Connecticut Militia, in command of General Wooster.

1917. JONES, EVERETT ORVILLE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Nathan Noble. Nathan Noble marched as Sergeant in the Lexington Alarm, 1775, in Captain Elihu Kent's Company, and was out 18 days. Served in the War for five years, three of which he was Captain. Present at the battle of Bunker Hill. Crossed the Delaware with Washington. Was in the battles of Long Island, White Plains, Mead Island, Brandywine, Trenton and Germantown.

1902. KEATOR, FREDERIC WILLIAM, TACOMA.

Great-great-grandson of Lieutenant Peter Roggen. Peter Roggen was Second Lieutenant in the Third New York from August 2, 1775, to January, 1776.

1919. KERR, KENNETH CHAMBERLAINE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Mathias Brickell, who served as Lieutenant-Colonel with the Militia of Hartford County, North Carolina, during the Revolutionary War.

1920. MARION, PHILIP PRESCOTT, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of Dr. Abel Prescott. Abel Prescott served as a doctor in 1776, under Lieutenant John Hoar, in the Revolutionary War.

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1917. NEWTON, WILLIAM SKEELS, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Alvan Newton. Alvan Newton served 22 days as Corporal in Captain Samuel Wood's Company of Minutemen, General Ward's Regiment, which marched on the Alarm of April 19, 1775. He also served for 7 days as Sergeant in Lieutenant Seth Rice's Company, Colonel Job Cushing's Regiment, engaged August 21, 1777.

1918. OAKES, PRESCOTT, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Daniel Oakes. Daniel Oakes served one month and three days, from September 27, 1777, as a Private in Captain Joseph Warren's Company, Lieutenant-Colonel Wheelock's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia. He also served one month and 15 days, from September 12, 1778, as a Private in Captain Reuben Sibley's Company, Colonel Josiah Whitney's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia. From July 5, 1780, he served for six months as a recruit in the Continental Army. Also served two months and 23 days, from September 30, 1781, as Private in Captain Nathaniel Wright's Company, Colonel Luke Drury's Regiment, Massachusetts Militia.

1917. PECK, HENRY HARPER, NEW YORK CITY.

Great-great-grandson of Jesse Peck. Jesse Peck served as a Private in one of the Continental Regiments and later as a Corporal in Captain Heart's Connecticut State troops. On March 3, 1777, he was appointed Second Lieutenant under Colonel Shelburne, in one of the "additional" Regiments ordered by Congress in 1777. He retired April 17, 1780, after serving for three years.

1917. PENDLETON, PHINEAS, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Peleg Pendleton, who served as Lieutenant with the Rhode Island Artillery, in 1776.

1920. PERKINS, RUSSELL CHAMBERLIN, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of Lieutenant James Perkins of Hampton, N. H. Lieutenant James Perkins was Second Lieutenant in Captain Henry Elkins' Company at Pierce's Island, November 5, 1775.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Lieutenant John Batchelder. Lieutenant John Batchelder was on the list of Captain Henry Elkins' Company mustered at Portsmouth, November 23, 1775, by Joseph

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Cilley. Lieutenant John Batchelder was appointed Third Sergeant on the 30th day of September, 1782, for courage and good conduct.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Captain Henry Elkins. Captain Henry Elkins was on the pay roll of a Company in Colonel Enoch Poore's Regiment until August 1, 1775. He entered into service May 26, 1775.

1900. PERKINS, WILLIAM DAVID, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Lieutenant James Perkins of Hampton, N. H. Lieutenant James Perkins was Second Lieutenant in Captain Henry Elkins' Company at Pierce's Island, November 5, 1775.

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Great-grandson of Lieutenant John Batchelder. Lieutenant John Batchelder was on the list of Captain Henry Elkins' Company mustered at Portsmouth, November 23, 1775, by Joseph Cilley. Lieutenant John Batchelder was appointed Third Sergeant on the 30th day of September, 1782, for courage and good conduct.

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1914. PERKINS, WILLIAM THOMAS, SEATTLE.

Transferred from the District of Columbia Society.

Great-great-grandson of William Hawkins. William Hawkins enlisted May 12, 1775, at Danbury, Connecticut, in the Sixth Company under Captain Noble Benedick, in Colonel Waterbury's Regiment. He re-enlisted November 17, 1775, in Captain Walker's Company, Colonel Elmore's Regiment. Corporal, August 6, 1776. Re-engaged, January 1, 1777, as Sergeant from Danbury, in Captain Hansen's Company, James Livingston's Regiment.

Also:

Great-grandson of James Hawkins, son of William Hawkins, above, enlisted May 26, 1777, for eight months, and was with Captain McGregor's Company; was discharged January 1, 1778,

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Fourth Regiment, "Connecticut Line," Colonel Durkee (of Norwich).

Also:

Great-grandson of Nathaniel Perkins, who was with the Continental Army at Saratoga when Burgoyne surrendered.

Also:

Great-grandson of Benjamin Pease, who was also a soldier in the Revolutionary War.

1921. PETERS, CHURCHILL, NEW YORK CITY.

Great-great-grandson of Richard Peters, Captain, Pennsylvania Militia, 1775. Secretary, Continental Board of War, 1776-1777. Continental Secretary of War, 1781. Member of Continental Congress, 1782.

1921. PETERS, SIDNEY VAN WYCK, PORTLAND, ORE.

Great-great-grandson of Richard Peters, Captain, Pennsylvania Militia, 1775. Secretary, Continental Board of War, 1776-1777. Continental Secretary of War, 1781. Member of Continental Congress, 1782.

1896. PETERS, WILLIAM ALLISON, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Richard Peters, Captain, Pennsylvania Militia, 1775. Secretary, Continental Board of War, 1776-1777. Continental Secretary of War, 1781. Member Continental Congress, 1782.

1895. PRESTON, GEORGE HYDE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Isaac Preston, Colonel, First Regiment, Cumberland County, New Jersey Militia, 1777.

1910. PURCELL, LEVERNE KELLY, VIDALIA, LA.

Transferred from the Mississippi State Society.

Great-great-great-great-grandson of William Bryan. William Bryan was appointed Colonel for Johnston County, N. C., by the Provincial Congress of Halifax, April 4, 1776.

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1909. RAMSAY, CLAUDIUS CLINTON, SEATTLE.

Life Member of the North Carolina State Society, and Member of the Washington State Society.

Great-grandson of Robert Ramsay. Robert Ramsay, as Captain, served in the North Carolina State troops. Participated in the battles of Ramsour's Mill, Cowpens, King's Mountain and skirmishes around Charlotte. In the army, together with his brothers, until the close of the War.

1900. REDFIELD, WILLIAM NYE, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Captain Isaac Parker, of Westford, Mass. Isaac Parker enlisted (1) as a Drummer, Captain Timothy Underwood's Company, Colonel William Prescott's Regiment, which marched from Westford, April 19, 1775, on Lexington Alarm, 14 days' service; (2) in Captain Joshua Parker's Company, same Regiment, enlisted May 24, 1775, and served eight months. This company was in the redoubt, battle of Bunker Hill; (3) in Captain Reuben Butterfield's Company, enlisted December 16, 1776, and served 3 months 15 days, in Connecticut; (4) in Captain Joshua Parker's Company, Colonel John Robinson's Regiment, enlisted July 5, 1777, and served 5 months and 26 days in Rhode Island.

Also:

Great-great-grandson Captain Moody Dustin, commissioned Ensign by John Hancock, July 1st, 1775; Captain, First New Hampshire Regiment, by Thomas M. Kean (President Continental Congress), March 5th, 1778; also held commission signed by John Jay, service of seven years.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Meletiah Nye, Sergeant in Captain Elizur Hubbard's Company, marched from the town of Glastonburg for the relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm, April, 1775.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Captain George Hubbard; Captain in a Connecticut Regiment, under Colonel Comfort Sage, in July, 1779.

1895. SHEPARD, CHARLES EDWARD, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Nathaniel Rochester, Member of North Carolina Provincial Convention, April, 1775. Member North Carolina Provincial Congress, April, 1776. Served as Major of Mili-

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tia at Moore's Creek, February, 1776. Paymaster, Sixth Regiment, North Carolina Line, 1776. Commissary-General of the North Carolina Line, 1777.

1910. SOMERVELL, WOODRUFF MARBURY, NEW YORK CITY.

Great-great-grandson of James Somervell. James Somervell was Ensign in the Third Maryland Battalion of the "Flying Camp," June to December, 1776. Second Lieutenant, Sixth Maryland, December 10, 1776. Wounded at Camden, S. C., August 16, 1780. Captain, Fifth Maryland, January 1, 1781. Retired, January 1, 1783. Was a member of the Maryland Society of the Cincinnati.

1920. SPENCER, MATTHEW LYLE, SEATTLE.

Transferred from the Illinois State Society.

Great-great-grandson of John Spencer. John Spencer was Lieutenant in a Charlotte County Company of the Virginia Militia. Afterwards Captain during the siege of Yorktown.

1921. STEDMAN, DANIEL BAXTER, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Robert H. Livingston, Lieutenant Lamb's Second Regiment of Artillery, Continental Line, 1781 to 1783.

Also:

Great-great-great-grandson of Peter Walter. Peter Walter was a Private in Captain Peter Mehrling's Company, Colonel Sharp Delaney's Battalion, June 25, 1777. On September 13, 1777, he was Captain of William Powell's Company of Artillery, Colonel Jehu Eyre's Battalion. On August 10, 1780, he was Captain of Michael Gilbert's Company, Colonel William Wills' Third Regiment Foot. During 1780-1793 he was successively Matrosser, Sergeant, Lieutenant and Captain-Lieutenant in Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Marsh's and Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Mifflin's Artillery Battalion of Philadelphia Militia. As Lieutenant he was on duty at Fort Mifflin.

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1911. STURGIS, MILTON GORHAM, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Jonathan Sturgis. Jonathan Sturgis was a member of Colonel Hart Williams' Company, Colonel Edmund Phinney's Regiment, which occupied Boston after it had been evacuated by the British. He enlisted April, 1775.

1917. TODD, ELMER ELY, SEATTLE.

Great-grandson of Jonathan Mills. Jonathan Mills enlisted April 1, 1781, when he was seventeen years old. He served nine months under Captain Richard Sackett, Colonel Wissenfels' Regiment. In 1832 he was pensioned.

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1919. TUCKER, OBADIAH WILMON, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of William Tucker. William Tucker enlisted February 18, 1776, in the First Maryland Regiment of Foot, commanded by Colonel John H. Stone. He was made Corporal, December 20, 1776. Died February 18, 1780.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of John Dale. John Dale served in Captain David McClure's Company during the summer of 1775; also for several months during 1777 in Captain Nathaniel Fox's Company of the Sixth Regiment in the Continental Service, commanded by Colonel James Hendricks; subsequently detached into the light infantry.

Also:

Great-great-great-grandson of James Dale. James Dale enlisted February 21, 1776, as a Private in Captain Scrugg's Company, Fifth Virginia Regiment, commanded by Colonel Charles Scott. Died January, 1777.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of James Newcom, Sr. James Newcom, Sr., served during the Revolutionary War as a Private in the Virginia Continental Line.

Also:

Great-great-great-grandson of Richard Newcom. Richard Newcom served three years as a soldier in the Seventh Virginia Regiment.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of John Allington. John Allington was a Private in Colonel John Gibson's Detachment which served in the Western Department from January 1, 1780, to December 6, 1781.

Also:

Great-great-great-grandson of Samuel Cox. Samuel Cox was Captain of Militia in 1777, from Loudon County, Virginia.

1910. WALKER, GEORGE HUNT, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Gideon Walker. Gideon Walker served a short time in 1777, in Captain Claghorn's Company, Colonel James Meade's Regiment of Militia; and in Captain John Smith's Company, Colonel G. Warren's Regiment of Militia; a

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short time in Rutland Militia, under Ensign Isaac Cushman, in 1780; on several "Alarms" in 1780; Ensign in Captain Samuel Williams' Company, Colonel Ebenezer Allen's Regiment; Ensign in Captain Samuel Williams' Company under Colonel Thomas Lee for short periods in 1781. Member of the Committee of Safety for Vermont, 1776-1780.

Also:

Great-great-grandson of Thomas Sawyer. In 1777 Thomas Sawyer was a Private in a Massachusetts Regiment stationed at Ticonderoga. In 1778 he was elected Captain of a Company of "Minutemen," and later was for two years in command of "Fort Ranger" at Rutland, Vermont.

1918. WHITLEY, WILLIAM PATTON, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Michael Whitley. Michael Whitley was a Captain in Colonel Robert Elder's Battalion, and was in active service in the Jersey campaign. At the battle of Brandywine he was severely wounded at a skirmish on Chestnut Hill, taken prisoner, and died a few days later in Philadelphia.

1917. WILKINS, FRANK LEONARD, SEATTLE.

Great-great-great-grandson of William Harris, who served as a Private in Captain Corle's "Troop Light Horse" from Hunterdon County, N. J.

1916. WOOD, JAMES ANDERSON, SEATTLE.

Great-great-grandson of Jacob Mytinger. Jacob Mytinger was First Lieutenant in the Pennsylvania troop of Light Dragoons, commanded by Captain Bartholomew Von Heer, and served throughout the War of the Revolution.

Also:

Great-grandson of Hezekiah Wood. Hezekiah Wood was a Private in the Fourth Regiment of the Westchester County Militia, of New York State, during the War of the Revolution.

The Following Members Enlisted in the World War

BLAKE, HENRY FORDYCE.

Enlisted, May, 1917, in Western Universities' Battalion of Canadian Overseas Force at Vancouver, B. C. Discharged same month because of physical disability. Enlisted, July, 1917, as Private in Third Washington National Guard Regiment. September, 1917, appointed Corporal. Discharged January, 1918, physical disability existing at time of enlistment. Appointed May 20, 1918, Assistant Director Bureau of Personnel, Northwestern Division, American Red Cross. July 1, appointed Director. Appointed September 1, Director of Military Relief of same Division, with assimilated rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in U. S. Army. Resigned January 15, 1919. February 2, 1919, appointed to Transport service of American Red Cross. Sailed February 20, 1919, from New York for St. Nazaire, France, on U. S. S. Finland. March 15, 1919, transferred to French Mission of American Red Cross and stationed at St. Nazaire, France. April, 1919, transferred to European Mission and appointed one of convoy of relief train sent to Warsaw, Poland. May 15, 1919, sailed for U. S. on U. S. S. Agamemnon. May 26, 1919, discharged from American Red Cross at New York. While connected with the French-European Mission had assimilated rank of Captain, U. S. Army.

COLVER, HENRY ANDREWS.

Volunteered October 10, 1917. Commissioned Second Lieutenant Air Service, March 1, 1918. Later commissioned First Lieutenant. Assigned in France to Tenth American Aero Squadron, Third American Instructional Center, Issoudun, France, as officer in charge of Aerial Gunnery Instruction. Discharged, Garden City, L. I., N. Y., January 29, 1919.

CONOVER, TALLMADGE.

Enlisted at Boston in the U. S. Naval Reserve in April, 1917, while a freshman at Harvard. After several weeks of waiting to get into service and no prospect in sight, he was transferred to the 13th Naval District. Upon recommendation of the Navy Department in the fall he resumed studies for a while, subject to orders, and in

June, 1918, entered the naval training station at the University of Washington. He passed his examinations shortly afterward for an officers material school and was transferred to the school on the municipal pier in Chicago, in connection with which he was given experience on the Great Lakes. Before his course for a commission was concluded, the Armistice was signed and he later resumed his studies at Harvard College.

COTTON, CHARLES STANHOPE.

Commissioned Captain, Air Service, U. S. Army, on January 18, 1918; ordered to School of Military Aeronautics, Columbus, Ohio; graduated April 27, 1918. Company and Battalion Commander, Regimental Field Adjutant, Mitchell Field, Garden City, L. I., N. Y., May 4, 1918. Company and Battalion Commander, Fort Wayne, Detroit, Mich., September 26, 1918. Selfridge Field, Mt. Clemens, Mich., March 9, 1919. Transferred to Infantry as Company Commander, Camp Pike, Ark., May 7, 1919. Transferred to 38th U. S. Infantry, November 18, 1919. Discharged on request, April 30, 1920. Total service, two years and four months.

DICKINSON, HENRY.

Appointed Second Lieutenant, Signal Officers Reserve Corps, U. S. Army, October 8, 1917. Ordered to active duty at Vancouver Barracks, Washington, November 16, 1917. December 13, 1917, to June 25, 1918, Property Officer of the Signal Corps Lumber Plant for making aeroplane lumber, Property Officer for Second Division of Regiment and Assistant Traffic Officer of the Spruce Production Division at the mill. About July 1, 1918, promoted to First Lieutenant, National Army, and transferred to the First Regiment. Assigned to Third Squadron and took command about July 1, 1918. October 1, 1918, promoted to Captain, Air Service. Continued in command of Third Squadron until discharged from the service on February 3, 1919.

DONWORTH, CHARLES TENNEY.

Volunteered in the first Officers Training Camp at the Presidio, San Francisco, May 14, 1917. August 15, 1917, commissioned Second Lieutenant of Infantry and ordered to Camp Lewis. On duty there continuously during entire service. Was commanding officer of the First Company, 166th Depot Brigade, being engaged chiefly in training recruits. June 18, 1918, promoted to First Lieutenant of Infantry. During the summer of 1918, assistant judge-advocate of a general court-martial. After the Armistice, had charge of the discharging of officers, being then assistant to the Mustering Officer. Discharged January 22, 1919.

EMMONS, HARRIS.

Enlisted, November 2, 1917, at Seattle, Washington; discharged at American Lake, Washington, November 19, 1917.

HARLAN, OTIS BACKUS.

Enlisted as a Private in the U. S. Marine Corps at Mare Island Navy Yard, California, April 16, 1917. Discharged as a Private from the Marine Barracks, Quantico, Virginia, April 16, 1919.

HAYNES, CORNELIUS HANFORD.

While in high school, enlisted with Coast Artillery, April 6, 1917. Trained at Fort Worden. Served at guard duty in Montana, winter of 1917-18, being transferred to B Battery, 63rd Coast Artillery Corps. Left Fort Worden for overseas, June 13, 1918, embarked from New York July 13 on transport Empress of Britain, landed at Liverpool, and was sent to southern France, to camp near Limoges. Attended an artillery school at Limoges and qualified as radio operator. Ordered to LaCourtain in October, where he was stationed when the end of the war came, November 11, 1918. The regiment was moved to Bordeaux. February 6, 1919, shipped from Marseilles, on transport Caserta, and arrived in New York February 27, 1919.

JONES, EVERETT ORVILLE.

Ordered into active service February 14, 1918, Captain, Medical Corps, U. S. A. Position, Surgeon, U. S. A. Base Hospital No. 50, which functioned at Mesres Hospital Center, Mesres-Bulcy, France. Discharged, with rank of Major, M. C., U. S. A., September 2, 1919.

MARION, PHILIP PRESCOTT.

January 4, 1914, enlisted Washington Coast Artillery Corps. July 25, 1917, entered Federal Service as Captain and Regimental Adjutant, Washington Coast Artillery Corps. September 1, 1917, assigned as Coast Defense Adjutant, Coast Defenses for Puget Sound, with rank of Captain. March 20, 1918, ordered to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, for three months' course at the School of Fire for Artillery. June 1, 1918, assigned to 69th Artillery, Coast Artillery Corps, as Regimental Adjutant. June 6, 1918, promoted to Major, Coast Artillery Corps, and assigned to command the First Battalion, 69th Artillery, Coast Artillery Corps. July 31, 1918, regiment ordered overseas. August 31, 1918, arrived overseas and assigned to Artillery Training Area at Libourne, France, outside of Bordeaux. November 1, 1918, regiment completed overseas Artillery Training, and ordered to front, but orders cancelled before regiment actually moved on account of the Armistice. February 4, 1919, left France for the United States. March 26, 1919, discharged with grade of Major, Coast Artillery

Corps, at Camp Lewis, Washington, having remained continuously in command of the First Battalion, 69th Artillery, since assignment thereto. Recommended for Reserve Corps Commission, but did not accept.

PECK, HENRY HARPER.

Enlisted, May 9, 1917, as Volunteer Ambulance Driver, Paris Section, American Ambulance; discharged as Sergeant, August 20, 1917. Commissioned First Lieutenant, Ordnance Officers Reserve Corps, and August 21 called to active service, Paris. September 1, assigned to Ordnance Advance Depot No. 1, Demange-aux-Eaux, France, as Assistant to the Commanding Officer. September 10 assumed command of Ordnance Advance Depot No. 1. October 13 appointed Assistant to the Chief of Machine Gun, Automatic Rifle and Small Arms Division, Office of the Chief Ordnance Officer, American E. F. at General Headquarters. November 10 appointed Assistant to the Ordnance Officer, Tank Corps, Paris. May 17, 1918 appointed Assistant to the Corps Ordnance Officer, II Army Corps. Served as Acting Corps Ordnance Officer, Corps Bath Officer, Summary Court and Instructor in the Post School. Took part in assault on the Hindenburg Line between Le Cateau and Belli-Court, September 30-October 1, 1918. On temporary duty with the 53rd Brigade, 27th Division, assigned to the 107th Infantry (Seventh Regiment, N. Y. National Guard) for this operation. February 7, 1919, appointed Assistant to the Ordnance Officer, American Embarkation Center, Le Mans, France. February 28, promoted to grade of Captain, Ordnance Department, U. S. Army. July 5, appointed Assistant to the Ordnance Officer, Base Section 5, Brest, France. August 29, 1919, honorably discharged at Headquarters, Eastern Department, Governors Island, New York.

PERKINS, RUSSELL CHAMBERLIN.

Enlisted as a Private in the U. S. Naval Reserve at Seattle, Wash., August 30, 1918. Released from active duty by Naval Reserve Board on December 7, 1918.

PETERS, CHURCHILL.

Served as a volunteer member of Section Sanitaire, U-67, American Field Service with the French Army, June 2, 1917, to February 23, 1918. Enlisted as Private, Company A, First Battalion, First Brigade, Tank Corps, U. S. Army, February 23, 1918, at Langres, Haute-Marne, France. Promoted to Corporal, April 3, 1918; to Sergeant, Company C, 27th Battalion, First Brigade, Tank Corps, June 25, 1918. Engaged in St. Mihiel offensive, September 12-17, 1918; Meuse-Argonne offen-

sive, September 27 to November 11, 1918. Appointed Second Lieutenant, assigned to Company C, 27th Battalion, 306th Brigade, Tank Corps, under S. O., G. H. Q., A. E. F., No. 92, dated October 6, 1918, at Charpentry Valley, France, during Meuse-Argonne offensive. Arrived United States of America, March 19, 1919, detailed to Camp Meade, Md. Discharged at Camp Meade, Md., April 4, 1919, with rank of Second Lieutenant, Tank Corps, U. S. A.

PETERS, SIDNEY VAN WYCK,

Enlisted in the United States Reserve Corps, as a private, August 8, 1917. Commissioned Second Lieutenant February 7, 1918. Served at different flying fields in the United States from February 8, 1918 to July 8, 1918. Took advanced training Third Aviation Instruction Center from August 1st, 1918, to September 1st, 1918, in France. Joined the 24th Aero Squadron September 8, 1918. Flight Commander through St. Mihiel and Argonne offensives. Officially credited with the destruction of one enemy airplane in combat. Cited in General Orders of First Army on November 26th for exceptional devotion to duty in action. Honorably discharged on March 27th, 1919.

REDFIELD, WILLIAM NYE.

Commissioned Captain, Quartermaster Corps, August 28, 1917. Detailed Assistant Quartermaster, Quartermaster Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind., February 28, 1918; Chief Purchasing Officer of same Depot, June 17, 1918. October 5, 1918, ordered to Hoboken for transportation overseas. Assigned to staff, First Army, Fleury, France, November 12, 1918. Detailed Supply Officer, Base Section No. 1, St. Nazaire, France, December 3, 1918. Discharged at Camp Dix, March 9, 1919. Commissioned Major, Quartermaster Section Officers Reserve Corps, February 9, 1920.

SOMERVELL, WOODRUFF MARBURY.

Appointed Major of Engineers in August, 1917. Training Camp, Washington Univ. Eng. Tr. Camp, until ordered to service abroad in September, 1917. General H. Q., A. E. F., Chaumont, France, until December, 1917. Paris H. Q., until December 15, 1917. Attached to Gas and Flame Service as C. G. O., Inter. Sec., Nevers, until March 17, 1918. Staff College, specializing on anti-machine gun work, artillery use of gas for neutralizing purposes, Stokes Mortar Battery, etc. Ordered to Third Division (Regular) May 10, 1918. Trained the entire division in gas defense, and went with it to the front at Chateau Thierry on June 1, when the German drive was stopped. Under continuous fire for ten weeks, including the following en-

gements: Aisne, Champagne-Marne, Aisne-Marne. Commended by letter from General Dickman, for "Courageous, intelligent and efficient service" during the above engagements. Gassed in the line of duty, August, 1918. Ordered to Italy as Liaison Officer with the Italian Army, September, 1918. Participated in the Battle of Vittorio Veneto, October, 1918. Cited by order of the Italian Army for meritorious service. H. Q. Second Army Corps, Amiens, until February, 1919. H. Q. Third Army Corps, Neuwied-am-Rhein, Germany, until June, 1919. Liaison Officer attached to the Second Cavalry Division of the French Army, Puderbach, Germany, until July 13, 1919. Ordered home and discharged August 21, 1919. At present Lieutenant-Colonel of the C. W. S., Reserve Corps, U. S. Army.

STURGIS, MILTON GORHAM.

Medical Director and Chief of Surgical Staff, Naval Base Hospital No. 6, with rank of Lieutenant-Commander. Enlisted June, 1918. Was attached to the office of the Medical Aide to the Commandant, Puget Sound Navy Yard, until the Armistice, as the Hospital was not called into active service. Discharged February, 1919.

STEDMAN, DANIEL BAXTER.

Private in Washington National Guard, August 9, 1910, to August 9, 1913. Enlisted First Washington Field Hospital, June 27, 1917. Was at Camp Mills, N. Y., from June 27, 1917, to November 10, 1917. Company E, 164th Infantry, A. E. F., France. Returned to America February 17, 1919. Discharged at Camp Lewis, March 11, 1919.

STEDMAN, LEWIS LEIPER.

Entered the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis in June, 1911. He graduated with his class in June, 1915, at the age of twenty. In 1915-1916 he served in Pacific waters, mostly off the west coast of Mexico. Early in 1917 he was ordered to the Submarine School, finished his course there, and graduated. He served at the Gyro-scope School in Brooklyn; was ordered to the Submarine Base at New London in the summer of 1918; was in command of Submarine G-2 on which Edison and Secretary Daniels made most of their tests; engaged in weekly patrols in command of said G-2 for German submarines; was fired upon by a British Liner, being mistaken for a German submarine. 1918-1919 was on the O-7. 1920 was stationed at Key West in command of the O-4. During the War, he was promoted successively to Lieutenant Junior Grade and Lieutenant of United States Navy, which rank he held at the time of his resignation. He resigned in April, 1920, as Lieutenant in the United States Naval Reserves.

STEDMAN, LIVINGSTON BOYD, JR.

Enlisted as Private in the first class Signal Corps, April 8, 1917, at Fort Lawton, Wash. Commissioned Second Lieutenant, pilot of Signal Corps, Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, May 21, 1918. Instructor flying at Kelly Field No. 2, San Antonio, Texas, from May to September, 1918. Instructor flying at Payne Field, West Point, Miss., from November, 1918 to February, 1919.

Members Who Have Been Transferred to Other State Societies

EBEN FREME WELLS

THOMAS ROCHESTER SHEPARD

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GEORGE BARSTOW BLANCHARD

FRANCIS BRENT BOARMAN

HORACE BERNARD DUNBAR

ALBERT BERNARD DONWORTH

WILLIAM BROWNELL GOODWIN

BUCHANAN PERIN

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1895	- -	ROBERT BROOKE ALBERTSON	- -	1917
1897	- -	WILLIAM MORRIS BARKER	- -	1901
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1904	- -	WALTER OAKES	- -	1911
1896	- -	JOHN LEICESTER SEHON	- -	1913
1899	- -	ISAAC PUSEY TAYLOR	- -	1910

Anniversaries

January 3, 1777	-	-	Battle of Princeton
February 22, 1732	-	-	Washington's Birthday
March 5, 1770	-	-	Boston Massacre
April 19, 1775	-	-	Battle of Lexington
June 17, 1775	-	-	Battle of Bunker Hill
August 16, 1777	-	-	Battle of Bennington, Vermont
October 17, 1777	-	-	Burgoyne's Surrender at Saratoga
October 19, 1781	-	-	Cornwallis' Surrender, Yorktown Day
November 25, 1783	-	-	Evacuation of New York by the British
December 4, 1783	-	-	Washington's Farewell to His Officers
December 16, 1773	-	-	Boston Tea Party
December 26, 1776	-	-	Battle of Trenton, N. J.

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